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ISSUED: February 22, 1994 INVENTOR: John L. Hughes
TITLE: SYSTEM FOR SUBSTRATE COOLING
IN AN EVACUATED ENVIRONMENT

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REQUEST FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER RULE 1.323, OR
ALTERNATIVELY UNDER 1.322*APPROVED*

DEAR SIR:

Review of the above identified U.S. Patent has revealed the errors indicated on the enclosed Form PTO 1050.

The corrections indicated on the enclosed are based on the following:

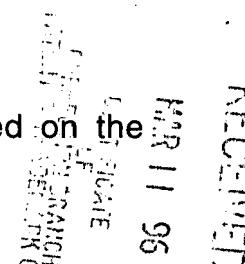
Column 5, line 66: The word "are" appears at page 8, line 21 of the original specification as filed in the Patent and Trademark Office.

Column 6, line 13: This is correctly set forth in the
Amendment mailed 5/20/93 at page 2.

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~~Page change should be made to column 6~~
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Column 6, line 45 and column 6 line 50: These changes are to correct errors by applicant. An amendment was filed May 20, 1993 and the word "wafer" was inserted at claim 12, line 15 which appears at Column 6, line 45 following "level". The proposal to insert "wafer" was an error by applicant since the word "wafer" was not and is not otherwise present in the claim. Instead the word "article" appears throughout (see lines 29, 34, 38, 40, 43, 47, 52 and 53) and the word "article" should appear where the word "wafer" appears. The word "substrate" appeared in the claim when presented in the preliminary amendment which was submitted when this continuation was filed. In fact, this is the only place in the entire claim that the word substrate appears. It clearly should have been article since it is clear that is what is meant at this point in the claim.

Column 6, line 50: This was another error by the Patent and Trademark Office. The word "transfer" appears in claim 12, line 19 submitted with the amendment filed 5/20/93.

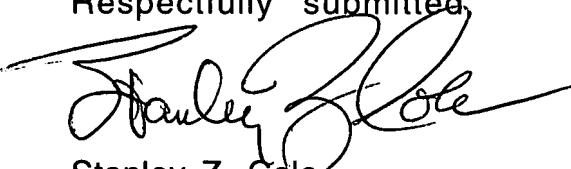
In view of the fact that two of these errors were made by applicant, the provisions of §1,323 appear applicable.

This request is being made for the assignee of the entire interest in the patent by counsel for the assignee and counsel appointed by the inventor who handled prosecution of this patent. The Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to approve these changes.

Permission is hereby given to charge any expenses associated with the filing and granting of this request for a Certificate of Correction to Account No. 03-2450 if the change is approved and includes applicant's errors. Otherwise all errors are by the Patent and Trademark Office and corrections pursuant to §1,322 should be approved.

A Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested. It is also requested that a certified copy of the enclosed certificate be returned to the undersigned for attachment to the original copy of the patent.

Respectfully submitted,



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